

1.

[REDACTED] to dis-
in accordance with arrangements made by [REDACTED] defined the specific "ultimate" objectives we would wish to achieve from the project. [REDACTED] will discuss this with [REDACTED] determining his willingness to enter into contract to meet these objectives, or his feeling as to what objectives he can meet with the funds allotted. This step is necessary because the [REDACTED] proposal was vague, indicating only lines of research to be followed. Until specific aims are agreed upon, the Agency is not committed. Additional restriction readily agreed to by [REDACTED] here that the project will be reported only as development of side-tone delay for para-psychological purposes; that knowledge of CIA sponsorship will not be revealed; and that all reports will be retained for CIA use only, until screened and released by us. [REDACTED] will contact [REDACTED] on the next step in the project.

2.

Coordination - [REDACTED] was advised that [REDACTED] is cleared for Project Artichoke. He will advise at 4 p.m. today and arrange a meeting with [REDACTED]

3.

[REDACTED] traced down [REDACTED] papers:
About to be assigned
Will be assigned to [REDACTED]
Can be assigned to [REDACTED]

4.

[REDACTED] telephoned on O.K. for [REDACTED]
Advised that [REDACTED] briefing desirable before cut in to subject.

5.

[REDACTED] clearance pending: - to be set up ad hoc through confidential.

6.

[REDACTED] Arranged meeting with [REDACTED] after Christmas - 2 p.m., Thursday in [REDACTED] advised that when he contacted [REDACTED] "fished" for information and stated that a CIA man had inquired as to his knowledge in "Artichoke" matters yesterday. This has been traced to [REDACTED] [REDACTED] has been cautioned again not to discuss or allude to this matter with others.

7.

[REDACTED] Inquiry sent to [REDACTED] on nicotinic acid. (Follow - up on special item for [REDACTED])

8.

[REDACTED]

ARTICHOKE LOG

A/B, IV, 8, 4

1. [REDACTED] asked if we could provide him with all available information on an antagonist to alcohol. Item needed which an individual can take before or during drinking which will reduce or eliminate effects. Problem passed to [REDACTED] with answer to be available for [REDACTED] Friday, 28 December 1951. Also problem passed to [REDACTED] in view of fact that [REDACTED] is working on alcohol as an ego-depressant.
2. [REDACTED] discuss coordination of medical aspects of Artichoke. Agreed that [REDACTED] could meet with [REDACTED] to discuss coordination of medical facilities and medical personnel procurement for the program. Also agreed that should Artichoke operations be laid on by [REDACTED] and there is possibility that someone in the [REDACTED] will become aware of the operations, [REDACTED] will be notified in order that he may brief his liaison designees as appropriate.
3. [REDACTED] - [REDACTED] principle with project to be implemented after further negotiations between [REDACTED] and [REDACTED].